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04AB015; 04AB016 UTILITY Attorney Docket No. **PATENT APPLICATION** Raymond J. Staron First Inventor TRANSMITTAL Agent Program Environment Express Mail Label No. | EV 375 545 557 US (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Commissioner for Patents APPLICATION ELEMENTS ADDRESS TO: P.O. Box 1450 See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or 1. 1 iit an original and a duplica Computer Program (Appendix) Applicant claims small entity status. 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) [Total Pages | 46 Specification 3. Computer Readable Form (CRF) (preferred arrangement set forth below - Descriptive title of the invention Specification Sequence Listing on: - Cross Reference to Related Applications i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, ii. paper or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention Statements verifying identity of above copies Brief Summary of the Invention Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS Detailed Description 9. 1 Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) - Claim(s) 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of - Abstract of the Disclosure 10. Attomev (when there is an assignee) Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 9 English Translation Document (if applicable) 4. Copies of IDS Information Disclosure 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages Citations Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Newly executed (original or copy) Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) **Preliminary Amendment** Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)** 15. Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 16 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 Other: 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: 10 , 737,384 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. Art Unit: 2184 Examiner For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS **V** Customer Number Correspondence address below Susan M. Donahue Name Rockwell Automation, Inc., 704-P 1201 South Second Street Address Milwaukee State Zip Code 53204-2496 City USA (414) 382-4463 Country Telephone Fax

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